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FALL, 1953

SPRING, 1954



Check List

of

Bosley Roses

and

CHOICE NURSERY ITEMS

Be sure to inquire about our
New Rose FLIRTATION
(patent applied for)

A pink and gold combination with vigor and form that will make it a sure winner at the rose shows.

Our friends have asked us so often to select twelve roses which we consider the best all round varieties that we decided to tell everyone about them and offer them as a group.

MY FAVORITE TWELVE

Condesa de Sastago	Edith Krause
Mrs. Paul R. Bosley	Don Rose
Mme. Cochet-Cochet	Good News
Grande Duchesse Charlotte	Pilar Landecho
Ena Harkness	Narzisse
Korovo	Crimson Glory

"MY FAVORITE TWELVE" for \$18.45
2 each "My Favorite Twelve" for 35.50

Ohio Customers Please Add 3% For Sales Tax

THE BOSLEY NURSERY
MENTOR, OHIO

2 miles east of Mentor on Route 20

THE BOSLEY NURSERY

MENTOR, OHIO

Name _____ Date _____

Please PRINT Name and Address

Street (or R. D.) _____

City _____ Zone No. _____ State _____

Express Office if different

From Post Office _____

NOTE: All heavy shipments and balled plants are sent by Express. By paying 1/3 with your order, we will ship the balance by C.O.D. Express if it is a convenience to you. No C.O.D. shipments by parcel post.

When ordering just ONE rose please add 50c to cover handling, packing and increased postage.

Ohio Customers Add 3% Sales Tax
AMOUNT ENCLOSED

\$ Check Money Order

Order Early

Orders are filled in rotation and at the proper time for planting in your locality. We recommend planting roses after Nov. 1st.

USE THESE DISCOUNTS IF YOUR ORDER TOTALS TWELVE OR MORE

You may also figure a discount on any extra Roses you buy over and above our special collections according to the following table.

Each Price as listed below	Each Price in total order of 12 to 23	Each Price in total order of 24 or more
1.50	1.40	1.30
1.65	1.55	1.45
1.75	1.65	1.55
2.00	1.90	1.80
2.25	2.15	2.00
2.50	2.40	2.25
2.75	2.65	2.50
3.00	2.90	2.75

Quantity HYBRID TEA ROSES Each Total Price Wanted Price

3 NOVELTY ROSES	\$ 7.45
(discount already figured)	
If included in an order of 24	7.00
6 NOVELTY ROSES	\$12.90
(discount already figured)	
If included in an order of 24	12.15
5 BLUE RIBBON ROSES	\$ 9.50
(discount already figured)	
If included in an order of 24	8.95
8 ALL AMERICA ROSES	\$18.70
(discount already figured)	
If included in an order of 24	17.55
6 FASHIONABLE ROSES	\$12.15
(discount already figured)	
If included in an order of 24	11.40
MY FAVORITE TWELVE	\$18.45
(discount already figured)	
2 each (total of 24)	35.50
EVERBLOOMING CLIMBER COLLECTION	\$5.70
(discount already figured)	
If included in an order of 24	5.35

HYBRID TEA ROSES

Angels Mateu, orange	*\$1.75
Anna Roy, camellia pink	2.00
Blanche Mallerin, big white	* 2.00
Bright Wings, bright orange	1.75
Butterscotch, tan orange	* 1.75
Capistrano, fine pink	* 2.25
Chas. Mallerin, blackish red	* 2.50
Charlotte Armstrong, red	* 2.25
Chief Seattle, new buff apricot	*2.50
Chrysler Imperial, rich red	* 2.75
Colleen Moore, velvety-red	* 1.75
Condesa de Sastago, bicolor	1.50
Crimson Glory, velvety red	1.75
Dainty Bess, single flesh	2.00
Don Rose, coppery pink	1.50
Dr. Debat, superb pink	*2.00
Duquesa de Penaranda, salmon	1.50
Eclipse, streamlined yellow	* 1.75
Edith Krause, strong white	1.65
Ena Harkness, fine new red	2.00
Eternal Youth, strong pink	*1.75
Etoile de Hollande, crimson	1.50
Flirtation, pink and gold. An extra strong seedling of Peace	*3.00
Forty-Niner, new bicolor	*2.50
Gay Gypsy, riotous red	*2.00

TOTAL COLUMN 1

* Patented Varieties

Quantity HYBRID TEA ROSES Each Total Price Wanted Price

Girona, multicolored	1.50
Golden Anniversary, old gold	*1.75
Good News, strong pink	*2.00
Grace Moore, rich red	2.00
Grande Duch. Charlotte, red	*2.00
Happiness, new super red	*2.50
H. D. M. Barton, fine crimson	1.75
Helen Traubel, new apricot-pink	*2.75
Horace McFarland, salmon	*2.00
Jackman's White, good white	2.00
Joanna Hill, light yellow	1.50
Juno, extra big pink	*2.25
K. A. Viktoria, profuse white	1.50
Katherine T. Marshall, pink	*1.75
Korovo, super pink	1.50
Luna, creamy-white	1.50
Marcell Gret, saffron-yellow	2.00
Margaret McGredy, orange-red	1.50
Maureen Thompson, crimson	1.65
McGredys Scarlet, good red	1.50
McGredys Sunset, yellow	*1.75
Mirandy, giant red	*2.25
Miss Rowena Thom, big pink	1.50
Mme. Cochet-Cochet, salmon	*1.75
Mme Henri Guillot, coral	*2.00
Mme Jos. Perraud, salmon	1.65
Mme Jules Bouche, fine white	1.50
Mrs. E. P. Thom, vivid yellow	1.50
Mrs. Paul R. Bosley, clear yellow, Exhibition form	*1.75
Mrs. P. S. duPont, deep yellow	1.50
Narzisse, lemon yellow	1.50
New Yorker, brilliant scarlet	*2.00
Night, black-red buds	1.75
Nocturne, rich cardinal red	*2.00
Numa Fay, flesh-pink	1.65
Nuria de Recolons, super white	1.75
Opera, superb orange red	2.00
Peace, finest of yellows	*2.50
Pedralbes, profuse white	1.65
Pilar Landecho, orange buff	1.75
Pink Dawn, top rose-pink	1.50
Poinsettia, rich scarlet	1.50
Pres. Hoover, multicolored	150
Radiance, rugged pink	1.50
Red Radiance, dependable red	1.50
Rubaiyat, rose red	*1.75
San Fernando, currant red	*2.00
Sister Therese, strong yellow	1.50
Sutter's Gold, golden yellow	*2.25
Suzon Lotthe, edged pink	*2.50
Symphonie, fine light red	*2.50
Talisman, multicolored	1.50
Tallyho, mulberry rose	*2.00
Texas Centennial, red	1.75
The Doctor, very clear pink	1.50

FLORIBUNDA & POLYANTHAS

Betty Prior, fine pink	1.50
Cameo, orange-pink	1.50
Cecile Brunner, little pink	2.00
Dagmar Spath, white	1.50
Else Poulsen, large pink	1.50
Eutin, carmine-red	1.65
Fantastique, yellow edged red	*1.65
Fashion, fine salmon	*2.00

TOTAL COLUMN 2

CLIMBING ROSES

Albertine, large peach pink	1.50
Autumn Bouquet, repeat pink	2.00
Blaze, recurrent red	*1.50
Blossomtime, camellia pink	
Blooms more than any other	*2.50
City of York, large white	1.50
Cl. Talisman, repeat multicolor	1.50
Doublons, large yellow	*2.00
Elegance, extra fine yellow	1.50
Gold Rush, repeat yellow	1.75
Hamburg, repeat crimson	1.50
Inspiration, recurrent pink	2.00
New Dawn, recurrent flesh	1.50
Nubian, velvety red	1.75
Pauls Lemon Pillar pale yell'w	1.50
Prosperity, white repeater	1.50
Silvermoon, lg. white single	1.50
Torch, vivid orange-scarlet	*2.00
White Dawn, everblooming wh.	2.00

HYBRID PERPETUALS (June Roses)

American Beauty, dk. carmine	1.50
Frau Karl Druschki, white	1.50
Gen. Jacqueminot, crimson	1.50
Magma Charla, large rosy pink	1.50
Mrs. John Laing, soft pink	1.50
Paul Neyron, large bright pink	1.50
Prince Camille de Rohan, black-red	1.50

SHRUBS, BRIARS, Etc.

Harison's Yellow old fashion'd	1.75
Hugonis, like buttercups, early	1.75
Karl Forster showy snow-white	2.00
Martha Lamberti, repeating red	1.75
Pikes Peak, very showy pink	2.00
Spring Gold, early yellow	2.25

TOTAL OF ALL ITEMS

Ohio Customers Add 3%	
Add 50c when ordering	
ONE rose	
REMITTANCE ENCLOSED	

TOTAL COLUMN 1

* Patented Varieties



For complete protection use

TRI-OKEN, All-Purpose Rose DUST

One year's supply for 9 to 12 roses, 1 lb.	\$ 1.20
One year's supply for 40 to 60 roses, 5 lbs.	5.00
One year's supply for 200 to 300 roses, 25 lbs.	23.75

TRI-OKEN, All-Purpose Rose Spray available for gardens large or small.

A good ALL METAL DUSTER for a small garden	\$2.60
Professional PRUNING SHEARS from Germany	4.25
A new WEATHERPROOF PLASTIC LABEL held upright on a rust-proof stake. 25 for	3.50
A LIFETIME SPADE, practically indestructible	5.75
ONE-PRONG CULTIVATOR with 4-ft. handle. A most efficient tool	1.25

TAXUS (Yew)

The aristocrat of the narrow-leaved evergreens, with rich blackish green foliage. Remarkably resistant to trying city conditions.

Cuspidata is the faster-growing, spreading type; Brevifolia, a compact variety; and Hatfieldi and Hicksi, tall-growing and narrowish. Cuspidata capitata is pyramidal.

	Ander-Cuspidata Brevi-				
	Cuspidata	soni	Capitata	folia	Hatfieldi
12 to 15 in.	\$3.75	\$3.50	\$4.00	\$4.75	\$4.00
15 to 18 in.	4.75	4.50	5.00	5.75	5.00
1½ to 2 ft.*	6.25	5.75	6.00	7.75	6.25
2 to 2½ ft.*	8.25	7.50	7.75	9.75	7.75
2½ to 3 ft.*	11.25	9.75	9.75	12.25	10.25
3 to 3½ ft.*	14.75	12.50	12.75	15.75	13.25
3½ to 4 ft.*	19.25	15.75	16.00	20.00	16.50

MAGNOLIAS

Oriental Magnolias make one of the finest displays of spring, and are not particular about the soil.

STELLATA. This one blooms first, generally before the last snows. Dwarf growing and fragrant.

SOULANGEANA. This is often called the pink-cup variety. More widely planted than all the others.

SOULANGEANA LENNEI. The purple-cup variety which blooms a week later than Soulangeana.

SOULANGEANA NIGRA. Blackish purple. Last to bloom.

6-inch pot plants. \$4.00

Potted plants make transplanting safe.

Magnolia orders are filled in the spring only.

Grafted Red-Leaf Maples

A very conspicuous bush or medium-sized tree with blood-red leaves. Plant in full sun to develop deep color.

1 to 1½ ft. \$3.75 1½ to 2 ft. \$5.50

Ground Covers

HEDERA HELIX (Hardy English Ivy). Our plants are growing in 2½-inch pots, making all-season planting possible.
*3 for \$1.00; 50 for \$15.00; 100 for \$25.00

PACHYSANDRA TERMINALIS (Spurge)

* 3 for 90c; 50 for \$12.00; 100 for \$20.00

VINCA MINOR (Trailing Myrtle)

* 3 for 90c; 50 for \$12.00; 100 for \$20.00

HOLLIES

AMERICAN HOLLY (*Ilex opaca*) Male or Female. Our traditional Xmas holly, with evergreen leaves and red berries. Plant both sexes to insure fruiting. These hollies are all fine types. The following varieties are currently available: Arden, Bountiful, Cardinal, Hedgeholly, Merry X-mas and Old Heavy Berry. Ask us about any others in which you might be interested.

10 to 12 in.	\$2.75	*1½ to 2 ft.	\$6.00
12 to 15 in.	3.50	*2 to 2½ ft.	8.50
15 to 18 in.	4.50	*2½ to 3 ft.	11.00

Priced according to quality of specimen

*3 to 4 ft. ...	\$15.00 to \$20.00	*5 to 6 ft. ...	\$25.00 to \$35.00
*4 to 5 ft. ...	20.00 to 25.00	*6 to 7 ft. ...	35.00 to 50.00

ILEX CRENATA CONVEXA, small convex leafed evergreen. An excellent substitute for boxwood. Nicely clipped specimens.

4 to 6 in.	\$.85	*12 to 15 in.	\$3.25
6 to 8 in.	1.25	*15 to 18 in.	4.75
8 to 10 in.	1.75	*18 to 24 in.	6.50
10 to 12 in.	2.25	Deduct 10% for 10 or more	

ILEX ROTUNDIFLORA. Same price as above.

AZALEAS

KAEMPFERI HYBRIDS. We are growing only the hybrids that survived our record winter of 1933-34. Demand the dependable ones.

Carmen, true rose	Herbert, new dwarf purple
Chinook, orange red	Louise Gable, salmon pink
Fedora, deep pink	Pink Bouquet, dwarf pink
Fireball, true red	Zampa, late pink

6-8 in. size	\$2.00	12-15 in. size*	\$4.00
8-10 in. size	2.50	15-18 in. size*	5.50
10-12 in. size	3.00		

AZALEA MOLLIS. All of our plants are seedlings grown from imported named varieties, insuring brilliant colors.

8 to 10 in.	\$2.00	*15 to 18 in.	\$4.50
10 to 12 in.	2.50	*18 to 24 in.	6.00
12 to 15 in.	3.00		

GHENT AZALEAS. The most severe winter has never hurt buds or plants. Colors range from orange to soft pink, with pink predominating.

10 to 12 in.	\$2.50	*1½ to 2 ft.	\$ 7.00
12 to 15 in.	4.00	*2 to 3 ft.	8.75
*15 to 18 in.	5.50	*3 to 4 ft.	11.00

Grafted Ghent Azaleas

All these plants were imported from Europe and grown here for two years.

12 to 15 in.	\$10.00	*1½ to 2 ft.	\$15.00
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* NOTICE: Due to prohibitive lumber cost for boxing and excessive express rates we are discontinuing the rail shipment of heavy items like taxus, hollies, azaleas and rhododendrons in the sizes marked (*).

Grafted Hybrid Rhododendrons

Our plants are grafted from stock originally imported from Holland. Do not confuse these with the wild Rhododendrons. Contrary to general belief, the hybrids do not require shade. The most effective plantings are those in mass effect, combining all the colors for contrast and interest.

The red Rhododendrons are spectacular in bloom but seldom have enough foliage to make them show to advantage as individual plants. Varieties such as Roseum Elegans or Roseum Superbum always have ample foliage and help the general mass effect. Cunningham's White is unexcelled as a dwarf specimen foliage variety. Cultural directions come with your order.

Growth habits: t, tall; m, medium; d, dwarf; ex, extra

Album Elegans, blush-white ex. t.

Boule de Neige, early, pure white ex. d.

Caractacus, maroon m.

Catawbiense Album, white m.

Cunningham's White, fine foliage ex. d.

Ignatius Sargent, rose-scarlet m.

Lady Grey Egerton, delicate lilac t.

Parson's Grandiflorum, wine red m.

Purpureum Elegans, rich purple m.d.

Roseum Elegans, lilac, strong grower m. t.

Roseum Superbum, light pink m. t.

9	to 12 in.**	\$3.75	2 to 2½ ft.*	\$ 9.75
1	to 1½ ft.*	5.75	2½ to 3 ft.*	12.75
1½ to 2	ft.*	7.75	Some larger sizes	

** The only varieties available in this size for 1953-1954 are Roseum Elegans, Roseum Superbum and Cunningham's White.

America, deep red m. d.

Charles Dickens, bright scarlet m.

Charles Bagley, cherry-red m. t.

Lee's Dark Purple, dark purple m. t.

Mrs. C. S. Sargent, deep rose, ruffled m.

Prices for the above six varieties are as follows:

1 to 1½ ft.* \$7.75 1½ to 2 ft.* \$9.75

Huge Hybrid Blueberries

A beautiful shrub — fine edible fruit
Varieties should be mixed to insure a heavy setting
of fruit.

We offer 5 varieties: **Concord**, **Jersey**, **Rancocas**,
Rubel and **Stanley**.

3 yr. plants, \$1.95 each; 3 or more at \$1.85 each; 10 or more
at \$1.75 each; 50 or more at \$1.60 each

**BLUEBERRIES ARE EXEMPT FROM OHIO STATE
SALES TAX**

THE BOSLEY NURSERY
Mentor, Ohio